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CRYSTALLINE SIBUTRAMINE METHANESULFONATE  
HEMIHYDRATE  
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**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Prior to examination, it is respectfully requested that new claims 26-29 be added to the present application and that the following listing of claims replaces all previous listings of claims in the captioned application: